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New U.S. Patent Application

Title: DIRECTIONAL SETTING APPARATUS, DIRECTIONAL SETTING
SYSTEM, DIRECTIONAL SETTING METHOD AND
DIRECTIONAL SETTING PROGRAM

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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application- 33 pages, including 4 independent claims and 20 claims total.
2. Drawings- 8 sheets of drawings containing 9 figures.
3. Declaration and Power of Attorney.
4. Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignment to Kabushiki Kaisha Toshiba.
5. Certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 2002-270318, filed September 17, 2002.
6. Information Disclosure Statement and Information Disclosure Citation, PTO 1449 with documents attached.
7. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

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\$750 filing fee;
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Applicants claim the right to priority based on Japanese Patent Application No. 2002-270318, filed September 17, 2002.

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Please accord this application an application number and filing date and record and return the Assignment to the undersigned.

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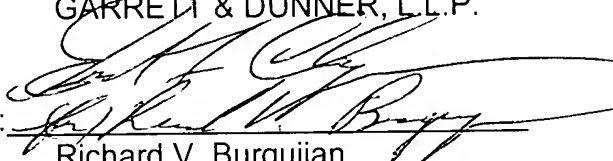
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